

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: One Resolution, H. Res. 470, was introduced.

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Reports Filed: One report was filed as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 2646, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow tax-free expenditures from education individual retirement accounts for elementary and secondary school expenses, to increase the maximum annual amount of contributions to such accounts (H. Rept. 105-577).

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Speaker pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Barrett of Nebraska to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Senate Messages: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H4551.

Referral: S. 1693, to provide for improved management and increased accountability for certain National Park Service programs, was referred to the Committee on Resources.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 12:00 noon and adjourned at 12:10 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No Committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1998

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1999 for the Department of State, 10:30 a.m., SD-192.

Committee on Armed Services, to hold hearings on the nominations of Louis Caldera, of California, to be Secretary of the Army, and Daryl L. Jones, of Florida, to be Secretary of the Air Force, both of the Department of Defense, 10 a.m., SR-222.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, to hold hearings to examine the effectiveness of music advisory labels, 2:30 p.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, Subcommittee on Water and Power, to hold hearings on S. 1398, S. 2041, S. 2087, S. 2140, S. 2142, H.R. 2165, H.R. 2217,

and H.R. 2841, bills relating to water and power construction projects, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

Committee on Foreign Relations, to hold hearings to examine United States interests in the Panama Canal, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nominations of Shirley Elizabeth Barnes, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Madagascar, William Davis Clarke, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the State of Eritrea, Vivian Lowery Derryck, of Ohio, to be Assistant Administrator for Africa, Agency for International Development, George Williford Boyce Haley, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of the Gambia, Katherine Hubay Peterson, of California, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Lesotho, Charles Richard Stith, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the United Republic of Tanzania, and William Lacy Swing, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of the Congo, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nominations of Paul L. Cejas, of Florida, to be Ambassador to Belgium, Eric S. Edelman, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Finland, Nancy Halliday Ely Raphel, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Slovenia, Michael Craig Lemmon, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Armenia, Rudolf Vilem Perina, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Moldova, Edward L. Romero, of New Mexico, to be Ambassador to Spain and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to Andorra, and Cynthia Perrin Schneider, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands, 4 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on the Judiciary, to hold hearings to examine mergers and corporate consolidation, 10 a.m., SH-216.

NOTICE

For a listing of Senate committee meetings scheduled ahead, see pages E1129-30 in today's Record.

House

Committee on Appropriations, to consider the following: Section 302(b) Budget Allocations for fiscal year 1999; Energy and Water Development appropriations for Fiscal Year 1999; Military Construction appropriations for Fiscal Year 1999; and the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies appropriations for fiscal year 1999, 1 p.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Committee on Banking and Financial Services, Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Securities and Government Sponsored Enterprises, hearing on H.R. 3637, Children's Development Commission Act, 2 p.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Commerce, Subcommittee on Energy and Power, to hold a hearing on H.R. 3610, National Oilheat Research Alliance Act of 1998, 2 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on International

Brotherhood of Teamsters Financing Reporting and Pension Disclosures, 1:30 p.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, and the Committee on International Relations, to hold a joint hearing on the Sale of Body Parts by the People's Republic of China, Part II, 3 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology, to mark up the following: Government Waste, Fraud, and Error Reduction Act of 1998; H.R. 2508, to provide for the conveyance of Federal land in San Joaquin County, CA, to the city of Tracy, CA; the Federal Procurement System Performance Measurement and Acquisition Workforce Training Act of 1998; and H.R. 716, Freedom From Government Competition Act of 1997, 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, Subcommittee on International Operations and Human Rights, hearing on Victims of Religious Persecution Around the World, 10 a.m., 2200 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on the Constitution, hearing on H.R. 4019, Religious Liberty Protection Act of 1998, 10 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

Committee on Rules, to consider the following: Conference Report to accompany H.R. 2646, Education Savings and School Excellence Act of 1998; and H.R. 3097, Tax Code Termination Act; to be followed by a hearing and markup of H. Res. 463, to establish the Select Committee on U.S. National Security and Military/Commercial Concerns With the People's Republic of China, 2 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Economic Development, to mark up the following: GSA Fiscal Year 1999 Repair and Alteration Program; Advanced Design Program; Border Station Program; H.R. 2379, to designate the Federal building and U.S. courthouse located at 251 North Main Street in Winston-Salem, NC, as the "Hiram H. Ward Federal Building and United States Courthouse"; H.R. 2787, to designate the United States courthouse located in New Haven, Connecticut, as the "Richard C. Lee United States Courthouse"; H.R. 3696, to designate the Federal courthouse located at 316 North 26th Street in Billings, Montana, as the "James F. Battin Federal Courthouse"; H.R. 3223, to designate the Federal building located at 300 East 8th Street in Austin, Texas, as the "J.J. 'Jake' Pickle Federal Building"; and S. 1800, to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 85 Marconi Boulevard in Columbus, Ohio, as the "Joseph P. Kinneary United States Courthouse", 4 p.m., 2253 Rayburn.

Committee on Ways and Means, Subcommittee on Oversight, hearing on the Year 2000 (Y2K) computer problems and telecommunications systems, 3 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

Joint Meetings

Conferees, on H.R. 2676, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restructure and reform the Internal Revenue Service, 3 p.m., SD-215.